

## General Assembly

## Raised Bill No. 5236

February Session, 2012

LCO No. 901

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Referred to Committee on Labor and Public Employees

Introduced by: (LAB)

## AN ACT CONCERNING VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS AND AMBULANCE COMPANIES AND THE DEFINITION OF EMPLOYER UNDER THE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Subsection (d) of section 31-367 of the general statutes is
- 2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective
- 3 *October 1, 2012*):
- 4 (d) "Employer" means the state and any political subdivision
- 5 thereof, including any volunteer fire department and volunteer
- 6 ambulance company;

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This act shall take effect as follows and shall ame	nd the following

Section 1	October 1, 2012	31-367(	[d]	)
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## Statement of Purpose:

To add volunteer fire departments and ambulance companies to the definition of "employer" under the Occupational Safety and Health Act.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]